

Town of Canaan, New York

Minutes:

Public Hearing on the proposed 2025 Budget and the Chatham Rescue Squad Contract

In person at Town Hall

October 29, 2024: 6:00 – 6:04 pm

Supervisor Adams called the Public Hearing to order and asked Town Clerk Weisbuch to read the notice for the Public Hearing on the proposed 2025 town budget and the 2025 agreement with the Chatham Rescue Squad. Written notice was published in the town paper of record, provided to town board members via email, posted on the town website, and posted on town notice boards at the Town Hall downstairs and upstairs. Copies of the proposed budget were posted on the website and town notice boards and available from the Town Clerk.

Present

Supervisor Brenda Adams
Councilperson Brian Lifsec (arrived after first vote)
Councilperson Ginny Nightingale
Councilperson David Patzwahl

Excused

Councilperson Will Powers

Also in Attendance:

Town Clerk Joshua Weisbuch

Audience: 0 in person, **1** online

Public Hearing on the proposed 2025 Budget

Supervisor Adams recognized that there was no one from the public present and asked if there were any questions from the online participant about the budget. Mr. Polson indicated he had no questions. She asked if board members had any additional questions, there were none. Supervisor Adams then called for a motion to adjourn the hearing on the 2025 budget. Councilperson Patzwahl made a motion to adjourn the hearing on the budget, seconded by Councilperson Nightingale. 3 AYES - Motion carried.

Supervisor Brenda Adams – yes;
Councilperson Ginny Nightingale – yes; and
Councilperson David Patzwahl – yes.

Public Hearing Chatham Rescue Squad Contract for 2025

Supervisor Adams introduced the second item on the agenda. She reminded everyone that the contract reflects a reduction of about \$20,000 from last year's contract fees. This is in large part due to the redistribution of fees due to assessment revaluations in 2024. She asked for any questions. There were no questions from the public or the board. After a brief positive comment from Councilperson Nightingale, Supervisor Adams called for a motion to adjourn the Public Hearing on the Chatham Rescue Squad contract. Councilperson Nightingale made a motion to

adjourn, seconded by Councilperson Patzwahl. 4 AYES - Motion carried.

Supervisor Brenda Adams – yes;
Councilperson: Brian Lifsec – yes;
Councilperson Ginny Nightingale – yes; and
Councilperson David Patzwahl – yes.

As there was no further business, Supervisor Adams called for a motion to adjourn the hearing. Councilperson Lifsec made a motion seconded by Councilperson Nightingale. 4 AYES - Motion carried.

Supervisor Brenda Adams – yes;
Councilperson: Brian Lifsec – yes;
Councilperson Ginny Nightingale – yes; and
Councilperson David Patzwahl – yes.

Respectfully submitted,
Rebecca Nebesar
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